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Prize-Winning Union-Themed Play This Saturday Night

TAUP is proud to present a unique cultural evening. Inspired by actual events that happened here at Temple, this will be a union benefit for families of Philadelphia hotel workers. Please spread the word, and hope to see you there!

Sincerely,

Art Hochner
President, TAUP

ORGANIZING ABRAHAM LINCOLN

A play by Lonnie Carter & Rich Klimmer

Winner: First Prize

Playwrights' Center/Guthrie Theater 2-Headed
Challenge Commission

**Staged reading directed by
Mahayana Landowne**

The play tells the story of graduate teaching assistants organizing at the imaginary Abraham Lincoln University. Many of the TUGSA organizers whose successful union struggle inspired this prize-winning drama will be present for a discussion following the show.

Saturday, May 3 at 7:30 pm
Rock Hall, Temple University
1715 North Broad Street, Philadelphia
General admission at the door: \$15

Students, Seniors and Unemployed: \$5

For information: 215-204-7641

Sponsored by:

**Temple Association of University Professionals
(TAUP) AFT Local 4531**

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Proceeds will benefit families of the 32 Embassy Suites housekeepers, members of Local 274, UNITE HERE!, who were permanently replaced for refusing to cross a building trades picket line in Philadelphia last fall.

We wish to express our gratitude to the Actors' Equity Association through Theatre Authority, Inc. for their cooperation in permitting the actors to appear on this program.

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